

# TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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## QUESTIONNAIRE: HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY OF THE BANKHEAD HIGHWAY

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### Participant Contact Information

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### Activities along the Bankhead Highway

Did you, your family, or friends travel on the Bankhead Highway? If so, when, how often and for what reason? \_\_\_\_\_

Did new businesses open when the highway was built? If so, what kind of businesses were they and when were they in use? \_\_\_\_\_

Did the highway pass through the downtown area? If so, did any events take place on the downtown section of the highway, and what were they...fairs, parades, community celebrations? \_\_\_\_\_

What impact did paving the highway have on local business and movement from town to town? Did tourism increase? \_\_\_\_\_

What happened to businesses in your community when the interstate was built? \_\_\_\_\_

### Buildings and Structures along the Bankhead Highway

Do you remember any buildings or places that highway travelers used, such as tourist camps, tourist courts, motels, gas stations, repair garages? If so, what and where were they, and when were they used? Do they still exist? \_\_\_\_\_



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Do you remember any old bridges, parks or rest areas built along or near the highway? If so, where were they and do they still exist? When were they built and when did people stop using them? \_\_\_\_\_

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Are there any old sections of road that are no longer used? If so, where are they? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Historical Information

Do you have any photographs, postcards or written materials showing places on or near the Bankhead? Are you willing to have them scanned or photographed for use in this project? \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you know anyone else who might have materials to share? If so, please provide contact information.

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☐ I have photos, post cards or other materials to share with the project but did not bring them to this meeting. The survey crew will contact you to arrange an opportunity for you to share your materials. Please complete the section at the top of the Questionnaire so you can be contacted.

## Project Feedback

Please record any comments you have on this meeting, or the project. \_\_\_\_\_

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Thank you for your participation.

